

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A method is provided for transferring control between a first network interface and at least a second network interface in a same multiple network interface device after the first network interface transmits an identifier generated by the first network interface. The method includes receiving a message from the second network interface to a program component, the message indicating the reception of the identifier from a second device. Next, the method provides for querying the first network interface to supply the program component with a list of identifiers generated by the first network interface and associated memory locations in the multiple network interface device memory. If the identifier received by the second device is present in the list, the method provides for transmitting a memory location associated with the identifier to the second network interface.